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In re application of

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For: A POLYMER NANOCOMPOSITE
COMPRISING A MATRIX POLYMER AND
A LAYERED CLAY MATERIAL HAVING
A LOW QUARTZ CONTENT

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Information Disclosure Statement

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants disclose the following documents. Submission of these documents is not an admission that a search has been performed, nor is it an admission that the references represent prior art.

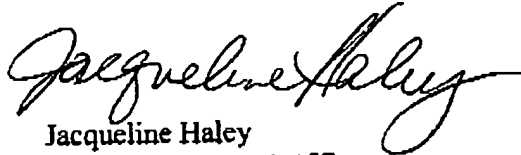
Applicants additionally disclose that the following co-pending U.S. applications may be material to the patentability of the above-identified application:

	<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Filed</u>	<u>Inventors</u>
1.	10/072,759	2/8/02	Barbee et al.
2.	10/144,427	5/13/02	Turner et al.
3.	10/145,833	5/14/02	Gilmer et al.

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Consideration of the cited references and co-pending applications is requested.
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